

**CITY OF SAN CLEMENTE
MEMBER OF THE CITY COUNCIL**

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OCCUPATION: Planning Commissioner/Businessman

As a 24 year resident of San Clemente I am aware of the need to protect the unique qualities that exist in our community. The crossroad we face in San Clemente today is the same crossroad we face every day: the resolve to protect what we have, while simultaneously balancing growth and change. From Downtown revitalization to historic preservation, from environmental protection to fiscal responsibility, generational impacts should outweigh short term fixes.

Not only is it important to make the critical decisions that are before us but to elect a council representative that has the consensus-building skills that can actually make those critical decisions a reality. I have the ability to be the catalyst for thoughtful decisions that lead to long term community benefits.

My work on behalf of the community includes:

Third term Planning Commissioner (currently vice-chair)
Chair of Design Review Sub-Committee
President, San Clemente Downtown Business Association
Board of Directors, San Clemente Historical Society

I was told recently that if a community doesn't believe in itself it can't achieve greatness. I believe in San Clemente, like so many of you, and, if elected, will dedicate myself to building on our greatness.